



Docket No.: 70456-014

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Kenichi IWAMOTO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 8713
Application No.: 10/820,795 : Group Art Unit: 2682
Filed: April 09, 2004 : Examiner: Bot L. Ledynh
For: BEARING PROVIDED WITH ROTATION SENSOR AND MOTOR EMPLOYING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Restriction Requirement
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 15, 2004, claims 17 through 19 are elected for prosecution on their merits. It is noted that claims 1 through 16 and 20 through 27 were cancelled with the filing of this divisional application on April 9, 2004.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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